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NEWS OF THE WEEK

From All Parts of the New World and the Old.

OF INTEREST TO OUR MANY READERS

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week in a Condensed Form.

The mayor of Havana resigned.

Salisbury is said to be improving.

There is no yellow fever in Havana.

Count Tolstoi was banished from Russia.

The business situation in Cuba is improved.

J. P. Morgan wants to build the Panama canal.

The army frauds at Manila are being investigated.

The foreign ministers are reforming the taung li yanun.

The public debt decreased \$18,876,695 in the past year.

Karpovitch, the Russian assassin, will be sent to Siberia.

Titus, the musician, has been appointed a West Point cadet.

Southern China vicereys protest against the treaty with Russia.

Bids are being asked for supplies for the naval station at Seattle.

The Southern islands will have a departmental system of government.

A party of cavalymen had a sharp encounter with rebels in Cavite province.

Three hundred metal polishers in San Francisco have struck for shorter hours.

Russia threatens to sever relations with China unless the Manchurian treaty is signed.

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\$1,000,000 HOTEL FIRE.

The Jefferson, at Richmond, Va., Burned, But No Lives Lost.

RICHMOND, Va., April 1.—The Jefferson hotel, this city, which was erected and furnished by the late Louis Glinter at a cost of \$1,000,000, was destroyed by fire. The magnificent structure covered half a block in the ultra-fashionable part of the city, and was built of buff brick on a granite foundation.

The flames were discovered in the upper part of the Main-street side shortly before midnight, and in a short time that part of the building was a roaring furnace. The guests who were first driven out of the Main-street portion of the hotel took refuge in the lobby on the Franklin-street side. There was much excitement, especially among the women, many of whom had retired for the night. Many persons lost all their effects. No one perished in the flames. The fire started in the linen room from a defective fuse. The surrounding houses are filled with property taken from the hotel. There has been some looting, and several arrests have been made. There were in the hotel many works of art, including Valenciennes, which mantle statue Jefferson, which stood in the Franklin-street court. This statue was broken.

Immediately upon the discovery of the fire, which was eating into the filling of the news from the hotel fire apparatus was brought into play, but the hose burst. Attendants then dashed through the building awakening the guests, many of whom were sleeping and had to be dragged out of bed. Most of the guests on the Franklin-street end of the hotel saved their baggage, and finally the Jefferson statue was gotten out, with the head broken off. The guests in the part where the fire started lost their baggage, and many of them lost all their clothes. Owing to the height of the building, the fire department was at a great disadvantage. The fire made an immense blaze, and practically awakened the city. The fire was a thrilling escape, the halls and staircases being numerous and wide.

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OREGON STATE NEWS

Items of Interest From All Parts of the State.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL HAPPENINGS

A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth.

Athena—Negotiations are pending for a skimming plant at Athena.

Pendleton—The O. R. & N. will supply its yards at Pendleton with a new switch engine.

Susanville—It is reported that a milling plant will soon be installed at the Badger mine, near Susanville.

Philomath—Two carloads of machinery have arrived for the new sawmill in course of construction near Philomath.

Buena Vista—The steamer Mador ran to the ferryboat at Buena Vista the other night. The company paid the damage.

Echo—John L. Crawford, of Echo, was injured by a pile of rocks falling on him. He sustained a compound fracture of his left leg.

Corvallis—A deed has been recorded at Corvallis, conveying from A. J. Johnson to J. H. Albert 2566 acres of land at Kings Valley for \$10,000.

Wallowa—Luss Beddingfield, a Wallowa county sheepherder, committed suicide at the Hayes Korman ranch. He left a note saying that he was tired of life.

Sprague River—John and Louis Gerber have purchased of the state 6100 acres of land on Sprague river, known as the O. C. Applegate section, for about \$6000.

Medford—The contractors who are digging the Britt ditch, extending from the Britt farm to the Britt farm on Rogge road, have their work nearly completed. This ditch will enable Mr. Britt to utilize a large tract of pumice land which is now useless.

Rogue River—Jesse Orme, while prospecting on the south bank of Rogue river, about a mile west of Savage rapids, found some good pay dirt, and the route for a reservoir and ground-sluiced for 12 days, and the clean-up amounted to about \$60. He found two or three nuggets of \$6 each and several more worth \$4 each.

Condon—A disastrous "pile-up" took place at the sheep camp of S. B. Barber, near Condon. On a separation of the ewes from the lambs the latter piled up in a ditch, and 88 head were smothered.

Sumpter—It is reported from Sumpter that the Golconda mine is showing another rich ore body, and that as underground development continues the prospects of the mine grow better each succeeding day.

Canyon City—James Robinson, one of the oldest and best-known citizens of Grant county, died at Canyon City after a lingering illness of nearly 12 years. Deceased was born in New Brunswick, January 12, 1834.

Klamath Falls—The Ashland-Klamath Falls mail route and schedule has been changed. It will hereafter be a daylight run, and the route from Parker's station to Jenny creek will be over the logging camp road.

Canyonville—A company contemplates building a tume from Canyon Creek, five miles south of Canyonville, to the mines owned by Lewis Ash, which are situated about halfway between Riddle and Canyonville.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 57c; Valley, nominal; bluestem, 50c per bushel.

Flour—Best grades, \$2 70@3 40 per barrel; good, \$2 60.

Oats—White, \$1 25 per cental, gray, \$1 20@1 22 1/2 per cental.

Barley—Feed, \$16 50@17; brewing, \$16 50@17 per ton.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$16 per ton; midlings, \$21 50; shorts, \$17 50; chaff, \$16.

Hay—Timothy, \$12@12 50; clover, \$7@9 50; Oregon wild hay, \$6@7 per ton.

Hops—12 lb a pound; 1899 crop, 6@7c.

Wool—Valley, 14@15c; Eastern Oregon, 9@12c; mohair, 20@21c per pound.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22 1/2@25c; inferior, 17 1/2@20c; store, 10@12 1/2c per pound.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 13 1/2@14c per dozen.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$3 50@4; hens, \$5@6; dressed, 11@12c per dozen; springs, \$4@5 per dozen; ducks, \$5@6; geese, \$6@8 per dozen; turkeys, live, 10@11c; dressed, 13@14c per pound.

Cheese—Full cream, twins, 13@14c; Young America, 13 1/2@14c per pound.

Potatoes—45@55c per sack.

Mutton—Lamb, 12 1/2c per pound; cross, best sheep, wethers, \$5; ewes \$4 50; dressed, 7 1/2@8 1/2c per pound.

Hogs—Gross, heavy, \$5 75@6; light, \$4 75@5; dressed, 7c per pound.

Veal—Large, 7@7 1/2c per pound; small, 8 1/2@9c per pound.

Beef—Gross, top steers, \$5@5 25; cows and heifers, \$4 50@4 75; dressed, 7@8 1/2c per pound.

Meeting his chief in the company, the ordinary pirate, although laboring under the intensest excitement, saluted, "I have the honor to inform you, sir," said he, "the magazine has gone up!" "The powder magazine, you doubtless mean?" said the captain. "No, the magazine in which the story of our adventures is running!" The captain paled. For a moment he thought of shouting hoarsely to the men to clear away the boxes, but this would obviously avail nothing. They must all perish.

DISASTER ON SHIP.

Commander Roper, of Gunboat Petrel, Suffocated.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The navy department early this morning received a cablegram from Admiral Remy, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic station, giving a brief account of a fire in the sail room of the gunboat Petrel, and of the death of the commanding officer, Lieutenant Commander Jesse M. Roper, as a result of a heroic effort to rescue the men below. The dispatch states that 22 other officers and men were prostrated, but all are recovering. Admiral Remy's dispatch follows:

"Cavite, March 31.—Fire was discovered in the sail room of the Petrel at 7 o'clock this morning. Roper commanding. After going below once, he went again against advice, and attempted to recover the men below. He was suffocated, and died at 7:45. Twenty-two other officers and men were only prostrated, but are recovering. The fire is out; damage immaterial. Will send Roper's remains by Buffalo. REMEY."

The department at once sent a telegram to H. F. Fry, brother-in-law of Lieutenant Commander Roper, at Longwood, Mass., asking that he inform Mrs. Roper of the news. The following expression of sympathy and appreciation was also made: "With his self-sacrifice the department sends to Mrs. Roper deep sympathy in the great loss she has sustained, and the highest appreciation of the gallantry and self-sacrifice which Lieutenant Commander Roper gave his life for his fellow-men. It was a heroic deed."

Lieutenant Commander Roper was born in Missouri, and entered the naval service June 25, 1868. He was commissioned to the rank held by him at the time of his death, March 31, 1899, and was ordered to the command of the Petrel November 15, 1899. The Petrel was one of the vessels under Admiral Dewey at the battle of Manila bay, when she was in charge of Lieutenant Commander Wood. The latter officer came home aboard the Petrel November 15, 1899. The Petrel was one of the vessels under Admiral Dewey at the battle of Manila bay, when she was in charge of Lieutenant Commander Wood. The latter officer came home aboard the Petrel November 15, 1899.

It is only fair to state that the Venezuelan charge here asserts positively that these attacks were made by irresponsible newspapers and that the government was not behind them, and deprecated them. If Mr. Loomis confirms this view, and he cares to return to Caracas, he will be permitted to do so.

There is no present intention of sending the North Atlantic squadron to Venezuela, as above stated, the government cannot decide how this matter should be treated until Mr. Loomis has been personally consulted. The squadron, which is at Culebra island, engaged in maneuvers, is about to head north in a few days. One or two of the vessels will be sent first to Kingston, Jamaica, but the stay will be temporary, and the whole squadron will soon be under way for Tomkinsville.

It was decided that in the interest of a quick passage to the United States, Mr. Loomis should be carried by the Scorpion to San Juan, Porto Rico, to take one of the regular merchant steamers for New York. The officials did not know positively when the minister would arrive in San Juan, but at the navigation bureau it was stated that there was no good reason why the Scorpion should not sail to day from La Guayra, if Mr. Loomis is on hand.

PANAMA CANAL CONCESSION.

Negotiations Without Colombia's Consent Would Forfeit Charter.

NEW YORK, April 3.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: While M. Hutin, president of the French Panama canal, has been awaiting the participation of Colombia in the negotiations for the sale of the Panama canal to the United States, M. Bruna Barila, formerly an engineer of the company, who says he represents some of the stockholders, has indicated to the Isthmian canal commission that the company is willing to sell its concessions and property. M. Barila will leave in a few days for France. He has been in Washington for several days. M. Hutin has seen M. Barila, and the two have talked over the situation.

M. Barila has represented to Rear Admiral Walker, president of the Isthmian canal commission, that he is to be displaced from the office of president of the French company. It is learned, however, that M. Hutin was advised only a few days ago of his re-election to the presidency, showing that he is to be retained for another year, and that the majority of the stockholders are satisfied with his policy.

M. Hutin has contended that under the terms of the concession held by the company, the grant would be subject to forfeiture from the moment negotiations began for its sale, unless such negotiations